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1. A Caller ID device, comprising:
a memory adapted to store Caller ID data associated with an incoming call; and
a processor adapted to selectively store the Caller ID data based on an off-hook status of a telephone.
2. A device as recited in claim 1, wherein:
a status of the incoming call relates to a handling of the incoming call.
3. A device as recited in claim 2, wherein:
a handling of the incoming call relates to whether the incoming call is answered.
4. A device as recited in claim 1, wherein:
the off-hook status relates to whether an answered call is answered by a person or by a machine.
5. A device as recited in claim 3, wherein:
at least a portion of the Caller ID data is not stored if the incoming call is answered.
6. A device as recited in claim 1, wherein:
the Caller ID data is stored in the memory with a flag indicating whether the call was answered.
7. A device as recited in claim 1, wherein:
the processor is further adapted to affect storage of a plurality of previously stored Caller ID data in response to a given condition.

8. A device as recited in claim 7, wherein:
the given condition is an indication that the memory is more full
than a predetermined threshold.

9. A device as recited in claim 7, wherein:
the given condition is user input.

10. A device as recited in claim 9, further comprising:
a keypad, wherein the user input is activation of the keypad.

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11. A telephone, including a Caller ID device, the Caller ID device
a memory adapted to store incoming Caller ID data associated with
an incoming call; and
a processor adapted to selectively store the Caller ID data based
on an off-hook status of said telephone.

12. A device as recited in claim 11, wherein:
a status of the incoming call relates to a handling of the incoming
call.

13. A device as recited in claim 12, wherein:
the handling of the incoming call relates to whether the incoming
call is answered.

14. A device as recited in claim 11, wherein:
the off-hook status relates to whether an answered call is answered
by a person or by a machine.

15. A device as recited in claim 13, wherein:
at least a portion of the Caller ID data is not stored if the incoming call is answered.

16. A device as recited in claim 11, wherein:
the Caller ID data is stored in the memory with a flag indicating whether the call was answered.

17. A device as recited in claim 11, wherein:
the processor is further adapted to affect storage of a plurality of previously stored Caller ID data in response to a given condition.

18. A device as recited in claim 17, wherein:
the given condition is an indication that the memory is more full than a predetermined threshold.

19. A device as recited in claim 17, wherein:
the given condition is user input.

20. A device as recited in claim 19, further comprising:
a keypad;
wherein the user input is activation of the keypad.

21. A method of receiving an incoming telephone call, comprising:
receiving Caller ID data associated with the incoming telephone call;
evaluating a status of the incoming telephone call; and
selectively making a Caller ID storage decision based on an off-hook status of a telephone.

22. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the evaluating step determines a handling of the incoming telephone call.

23. A method as recited in claim 22, wherein: [the determination of] the handling indicates whether the incoming telephone call is answered.

24. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision, for an answered incoming telephone call, is further based on whether the incoming telephone call was answered by a person or by a machine.

25. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is further based on a blocked status of at least a portion of the received Caller ID data.

26. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is to not store at least a portion of the Caller ID data if the incoming call is answered.

27. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision results in storage of a flag associated with the Caller ID data if the incoming telephone call is answered.

28. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is made proximate in time to reception of the incoming telephone call.

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29. A method as recited in claim 21, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is made in response to user input
and affects Caller ID data already stored.
30. A method as recited in claim 29, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is made in conjunction with other
storage decisions regarding other Caller ID data.
31. A method as recited in claim 30, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is made in response to a
determination that the memory is more full than a predetermined threshold.
32. A method as recited in claim 30, wherein:
the Caller ID storage decision is made in response to user input.
33. A method as recited in claim 32, wherein:
the user input is activation of a keypad associated with a Caller ID
device.
34. A method as recited in claim 33, wherein:
the Caller ID device is part of a telephone.